ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

[0065] An internet-based, patient-centric and patient controlled electronic medical record and systems and methods for managing the patient-centric and patient controlled electronic medical record. To ensure robustness of data and interchangeability of data the present invention is preferably implemented using open source software. Because the present invention is patient controlled, privacy of data is assured. The present invention contemplates entering data into the medical record from the physician's office, the laboratory, ancillary medical personnel, and the hospital. In another aspect translation of existing information applicable to the individual patient (legacy data) into the patient-centric electronic medical record are contemplated.